

PENSACOLA has a Depth of 33 Feet of Water in the Channel at the Entrance of the Harbor.

TAYLOR WILL NOT
GIVE UP THE FIGHT

He Will Await Decision of the
Supreme Court.

FRIENDS ARE CONFIDENT

They Believe His Position Will Be Sustained—Decision of Court of Appeals in Governorship Case Is Expected Next Monday.

LOUISVILLE, April 5.—Governor Taylor spent the morning here in consultation with personal and political friends. Among them was Adjutant General Taylor, who came down from Frankfort to see the governor.

Gov. Taylor left for Frankfort at 10 o'clock.

Gov. Taylor will not give up the fight until the United States supreme court passes on the case. He said that the land decision for Taylor will stop the fight, but not before then. But he is confident that the supreme court will decide for Mr. Taylor.

General also states that unless it becomes necessary troops will not be called out.

The latest report from the court of appeals is that a decision in the governorship case may be expected Monday.

Will Not Resort to Force.

FRANKFORT, Ky., April 5.—Representatives of the Beckham administration deny that force will be used to dislodge the Republicans from possession of the statehouse as soon as the court of appeals renders a decision in the contest case. They say no hostile movement will be made until after the supreme court at Washington has rendered its decision, and then only in the event the Republicans refuse to vacate. Republican Governor Taylor has returned here. A squad of soldiers under command of Lieutenant Colonel Morrow was drawn up in front of the state capitol square while the train stopped and let him off. He was escorted to the executive office under guard.

THE KILLING OF GOEBEL.

Youtzy Said to Have Made a Sensational Confession.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., April 6.—It is reported here this morning that Youtzy has confessed that he paid Jim Howard to kill Governor Goebel; that the plot was hatched in the office of Powers and that \$1000 was paid over. It is further alleged that Governor Taylor had agreed to pardon Howard if he was detected in the crime.

FRANKFORT, April 6.—Youtzy's statements implicate Governor Taylor, it being asserted that he was one of the eight men who knew of the conspiracy to kill Goebel. The conspiracy was entered into in Powers' office and the men implicated are Taylor, Powers, John L. Powers, Charles Finlay, W. P. Cullen, Jim Howard, probably Henry Howard, one other man and Youtzy himself. Youtzy went out of the room and got \$1,600 and turned it over to the proper person.

A BIG STRIKE.

Exciting Developments Feared at
Greenwich.

GREENWICH, Conn., April 6.—There is much excitement here over possible developments of a general strike of all the building trades. The strikers announce their intention of parading to-day despite the prohibition of the authorities. The sheriff has been summoned and the governor has been communicated with.

HARTFORD, April 6.—Sheriff Hawley with a strong posse of deputies has gone to Greenwich.

BRIEF NEWS NOTES.

A Collection of Little Telegrams for
Busy Readers.

Cecil Rhodes arrived at Southampton to-day.

The Erie State Road adjourned the 40th Wednesday after passing President Steyn's speech.

The physical laboratory of the Lehigh University at Bethlehem, was burned this morning. Loss \$300,000.

A dispatch from Copenhagen says that negotiations with the United States for the Danish West Indies cannot be concluded before the close of the present session, which will adjourn in a few days.

Plessner's famous 10-cent collars, at White's.

FACIAL MASSAGE.

Wrinkles can be wiped out. Wrinkles can be prevented. Cheeks can be plumped out. All this, and more can be done by massage.

For ladies, call on Miss Keeler at Powers & Kruse's Millinery, on Tuesday after that date at 112 West 10th St. N. Y.

All leather suit cases and hand bags with leather lining at White's.

SOUTH AFRICAN WAR.

British and Boers Are Both Quite Active.

LONDON, April 6.—Lord Roberts to-day reports that five companies of British troops were captured by Boers near Bethany, forty miles southwest of Bloemfontein.

In a dispatch dated yesterday Lord Roberts reports that Methuen telegraphs from Boerhoff that he surrounded Gen. Villobois and a body of Boers and that none of them escaped. Villobois and seven men were killed, eight were wounded and fifty were taken prisoners. The British losses were four killed and seven wounded.

Cotton Quotations.

NEW YORK, April 6.—Cotton is quoted to-day as follows: April and May, 9.26; June, 9.24; July, 9.22; August, 9.14.

MANY MEET DEATH IN WRECK

Passenger Train Ditched and Burned Near Channing.

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 5.—The southbound passenger train of the Fort Worth and Denver City railroad was wrecked this morning near Channing. It is reported six or seven people are killed, among them the Wells-Fargo express messenger, Chapman, Superintendent Goode and Tackmaster Mills, in a special car, with a number of physicians, left for the scene.

The wreck was caused by a washout. The entire train except one coach was burned. The fireman and express messenger cannot be found. It is believed they were burned in the wreck. The local Wells-Fargo office received a message from Channing to the effect it was impossible to tell the number of passengers killed.

Governor to Visit Albany.

ATLANTA, April 5.—Invitations have been sent by Assistant Adjutant Byrd to members of Governor Chandler's staff inviting them to meet the chief executive in Albany, April 24, which is governor's day at the Albany chautauqua. The members of the staff will be on hand and the occasion will be one of the most prominent during the chautauqua. Governor Chandler will deliver an address on that day, as will also Colonel Phil G. Byrd, assistant adjutant general. Colonel Byrd will speak on the reorganized militia of the state.

Sunday School Convention.

OPELIKA, Ala., April 5.—The seventeenth annual convention of the Alabama Sunday schools is in session here. The convention met in the Methodist church. An address of welcome was delivered by V. L. Thompson, Rev. J. P. Parsons made a few remarks on the spiritual opportunity of the convention, and Rev. G. O. Bachman discoursed on the purpose and plan of the association work. Several hundred have arrived and many are arriving on every train.

War Preparations Continue.

SHANGHAI, April 5.—The preparations of the Russian and Japanese war departments continue. The Russians are making strenuous efforts to fill Port Arthur with grain, even at ruinous prices, and are importing quantities of wheat from North China. Japan has called out her naval reserves for service during the approaching maneuvers when the entire Japanese fleet will be engaged.

Fruit Growers Meet.

ADAMSVILLE, Ga., April 5.—The North Georgia Fruit Growers' institute was opened here under the most favorable circumstances. There was one of the largest audiences assembled that has ever been seen here. The opening address was made by Dr. Hammett, editor of The Southern Cultivator. He was followed by Hon. M. L. Johnson, Dr. Grogan and J. J. Conner.

Benedict's Shortage.

ATHENS, Ga., April 5.—The report on the affairs of the late Exchange bank has been rendered by the experts. Errors amounting to \$11,130.56 were discovered, from which was deducted \$48.46 as attaching to the footings of balances. The bondsmen of the late Cashier Benedict will be called upon to make good the difference.

Washington to Have New Bank.

WASHINGTON, Ga., April 5.—Green National bank has made an application for charter and same has been approved by the comptroller of currency. The capital stock is \$25,000, with the privilege of increasing to \$100,000. The stock has been subscribed and the bank will be opened for business July 1.

An elegant assortment of trunks and valises at White's.

HORSES AND MULES

A carload of fine
Tennessee Horses and
Mules, for sale at the
Pensacola Livery Stables.

GEO. W. TURTON, JR.

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Some folks' pretences to always undersell the world are rather tiresome. No one has monopoly of brains and money. It will be a sorry day for this town when competition ceases. White's.

LABOR TROUBLES IN
PITTSBURG DISTRICT

President Dolan Issues Call
For a Conference.

MINERS ARE IN WRONG

He Advises Them to Return to Work.
Indianapolis Agreement Holds Good.
Many Plants Resume Operations.
Situation at Other Places.

PITTSBURG, April 5.—A meeting of the executive board of the United Mine workers of the Pittsburgh district will be held here tomorrow for the purpose of discussing means to bring about a termination of the strike and a general resumption of work. President Dolan has issued a call for the conference. A general convention, he says, is not necessary at this time, as the question to be considered is merely one of inducing the men to return to work, the scale being made and there being nothing to negotiate with the coal companies.

"The miners," he said, "are acting foolishly and will see it themselves soon. The trouble is largely not with the miners themselves, but with the drivers and outside hands, whose action has compelled the stoppage of work."

Dolan has been among the Paoliha miners unraveling the scale tangle and as a result the men have returned to work at a number of pits in that district and they are again in full operation. To-day President Dolan is attending meetings of the river miners in the fourth pool and explaining the Indianapolis agreement. The situation is more serious in the river districts, as the only pits being are a couple of independent mines.

Mr. Irwin district the Huff and Export mines are running full and the strikers are going back slowly at the Larimer, Madison and Claridge mines.

Carpenters Go on Strike.

INDIANAPOLIS, April 5.—The union carpenters all quit work this morning, causing a suspension of work on buildings where union carpenters are employed. Some of the contractors have been paying the scale, but the men declare they will not work until the contractors all come to the terms asked by the union. About 400 men are out.

Strike Settled.

PITTSBURG, April 5.—The strike at the Pittsburgh Reduction works has been settled by the employers granting an advance of 12 per cent, recognizing the Aluminum Workers' union of the Federation of Labor, and reducing the day's work from 12 to ten hours. Work has been resumed in all departments.

OFFICIALS TO BE REMOVED.

Watchman Resigns and Leaves Charleston.—Investigation Continues.

CHARLESTON, April 5.—The custom-house scandal took a new turn when it became known that Watchman O'Brien had hurriedly resigned and left the city. This was intended to mean that he accepted the guilt of having kept the federal blind tight.

Special Agent McAfee of the treasury department is investigating on the O'Brien line. There has been a persistent rumor that the inspector will recommend the instant removal of Collector Stewart and Deputy Osterdorf. McAfee's report will be sent to Washington with letters from Governor McSweeney and Senator Tillman.

An occasional dose of PRICKLY ASH BITTERS keeps the system healthy, wards off disease and maintains strength and energy. For sale by Hannah Bros.

Our Men's Spring Clothing is up-to-date in every way. The Jno. White label wouldn't be on them if they weren't. White's.

To Establish a Hospital.

FLORENCE, Ala., April 5.—Forty of the most prominent ladies of this city at a meeting discussed plans for the inauguration of a charity hospital. A soliciting committee was appointed to ascertain the amount of funds that can be secured, and will report next Monday, at which time more definite steps will be taken toward putting the hospital in operation. The ladies have already secured quarters on Hawthorne Heights, and will equip the hospital in the most modern fashion.

Negro Held For Arson.

FLORENCE, Ala., April 5.—The negro boy, Oscar Johnston, is still held in jail for his numerous attempts to burn Carson's stable. It is believed some other work is behind him. The fire some weeks ago in the Masonic temple is supposed to have been of incendiary origin and Johnston is suspected of being the guilty party.

"Murder will out." Impurities in the blood will also be sure to show themselves unless expelled by flood's Sarsaparilla.

We will soon receive a fine lot of patent window awnings, wait for them. Marston & Finch.

Crossett's Young America \$3 shoes for young men, the best shoe in the world for the price, at White's.

GORMAN TO MANAGE
DEWEY'S CAMPAIGN

Admiral's Name to Go Before
Democratic Convention.

BACKED BY EASTERN MEN

His Candidacy Was Decided Upon by
Whitney and Others Some Time Ago.
Premature Publicity May Interfere
With Their Plans.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The scheme to nominate Admiral Dewey at the Kansas City convention was carefully planned at a series of conferences, held principally in Washington.

Arthur P. Gorman, acknowledgedly one of the most skillful political managers in the Democratic party, was asked to take charge of the movement. Such conspicuous leaders as William C. Whitney, Daniel S. Lamont, Richard Olney, John R. McLean and Edward M. Shepard participated actively in the conferences.

They canvassed the entire situation. Until they became convinced that the movement could be successfully carried out Admiral Dewey and all his friends discredited the reports that the hero of Manila bay would run for president under any circumstances.

They proposed to spring the plan suddenly, not long before the assembling of the Democratic National convention, and on the wave of popular enthusiasm which the announcement was expected to create, calculated on sweeping aside all obstacles and making Dewey the party candidate.

Admiral Dewey's announcement of his candidacy at this time was not contemplated by the leaders in this movement. They regarded April as too early. That the announcement should be made by Admiral Dewey now is due to the persistent reports from Washington that Mr. and Mrs. Dewey would go abroad. This latter announcement is declared by the admiral to have been absolutely without foundation, and was regarded as an effort to forestall and sidetrack the Dewey boom.

The exact wording of Admiral Dewey's statement was under discussion for several weeks. It was prepared with the utmost care, and a draft of the statement was sent to the admiral while he was on his recent visit to St. Augustine, Fla. It was pointed out last night that Democratic leaders of the prominence of those mentioned would not have consented to the publication of Admiral Dewey's statement at this time unless they knew the exact situation. They are too shrewd and too experienced in political manipulation to force Admiral Dewey into the position of a candidate without a fair assurance of success.

On the other hand it was expected that a large majority of the members of the present Democratic national committee and other leaders, swept into power by the Bryan campaign, would repudiate Dewey's candidacy and would adhere to the cause of William J. Bryan. The present national committee, having been chosen at the Chicago convention, which made Bryan its candidate, will expire on the meeting of the Kansas City convention. They are Bryan's friends. Many changes, if the plans of Dewey's friends do not miscarry, will be made in the new national committee, which will have great influence in the national convention and will conduct the campaign that will follow.

Interviewed in regard to his candidacy for the presidency, Admiral Dewey said: "You ask me if I have advised with political friends about my candidacy. I have. You ask whether they are Republicans or Democrats. They are both. You ask what party I expect to be nominated by. I should think President McKinley would be nominated by the Republican party. You ask if I have any views as to tariff between this country and Puerto Rico. I have strong opinions. I do not care to express them now."

How can we afford to sell such high grade clothing at such low prices? Our answer is pure and simple; ours is a modern store, constructed strictly on progressive plans. Our clothing is sold on the smallest margin of profit, depending on a large volume of business. The more clothing we sell the greater our purchasing power, the lower our prices—that's the story in a nutshell. White's.

Will Rebuild the Hall!

KANSAS CITY, April 5.—An army of men have been set to work clearing away the smoldering debris of Convention hall, preparatory to immediate rebuilding for the Democratic national convention in July. Almost every prominent business man has begun soliciting funds that will ensure a suitable structure.

Naval Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The naval appropriation bill was today reported to the house by Acting Chairman Foss of the naval committee. The amount carried by the bill is \$21,219,916, the largest ever reported to the house from the naval committee.

Osman Pasha Dead.

CONSTANTINOPLE, April 5.—Ghazi Osman Nubar Pasha, the hero of Plevna, died yesterday evening, although the recent improvement in his condition then led to the hope of his recovery. He was born in 1832.

Do not fail to read the advertisement of TEETHINA in this paper.
Douglas Shoes at White's.

WILL MEET AT MONTGOMERY

Alabama Republicans to Choose Delegates to Philadelphia Convention.

MONTGOMERY, Ala., April 5.—The Republican state convention, which will meet here April 19, promises to be a stormy gathering. The factional fight is fiercer this year than ever before. In more than half of the counties in the state there are contesting delegations, and to temporarily adjust these differences and prepare to organize the convention would require the time of the convention for a week or more.

The principal business of the convention will be the selection of delegates to the Philadelphia national convention, and it is probable delegations will be determined by the convention—a state chairman and a national committee must be selected. Messrs. William Venable, district attorney for the southern district of Alabama, and John H. Gadsden, collector of internal revenue for the same district, are the aspirants. In both cases the two state conventions will be held in the same place, at Venable's private residence composed of Binghams.

WHITECAPS AFTER TOLBERT

McComick Postmaster Agita Run Out of Town by a Mob.

McCOMICK, S. C., April 5.—James W. Tolbert, who was expelled from Greenwood county in November, 1898, after narrowly escaping severe handling, and whose brother is contesting the seat of Congressman Latimer in the Third district, narrowly escaped falling into the hands of a mob Wednesday night.

At midnight a band of masked men went to the house Tolbert was in. He was warned and escaped from the back door while the mob was surrounding the house. Tolbert fled to the depot and got on a train that was passing, but fearing a mob at Troy, he stopped at the next station and is supposed to have spent the night in the woods. In the morning he appeared at the house of W. W. Sturkey and appealed for protection. He was concealed for several hours, but was located, and it is supposed drew a pistol when he was found, for the last report was that he had been arrested for carrying concealed weapons.

RECEIVERS ARE APPOINTED.

Southern Home Building and Loan Association to Be Wound Up.

ATLANTA, April 5.—Judge Don A. Parker of the United States circuit court has appointed Judge John T. Pendleton and Vice President and General Manager William H. Henderson receivers of the Southern Home Building and Loan association.

The plaintiffs in the bill are three stockholders, Mrs. M. C. Alexander of Tennessee, owner of 33 shares of stock, valued at \$3,300; W. S. Bradley of Virginia, owner of 10 shares, valued at \$500, and A. T. Spaulding of Texas, owner of 2 shares, valued at \$200.

It is expected that the affairs of the association will be wound up within a very short period.

Remarkable Cure of Rheumatism.

KENNA, JACKSON CO., W. Va. About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed for a month and rendered her unable to walk a step without assistance, her limbs being swollen to double their normal size. Mr. S. Maddox insisted on my using Chamberlain's Pain Balm. I purchased a fifty cent bottle and used it according to the directions and the next morning she walked to breakfast without assistance in any manner, and she has not had a similar attack since.—A. B. PARSONS. For sale by Hannah Bros., 21 South Palafox street.

Wiped Out by Fire.

RAVENNA, Mich., April 5.—The business portion of this village was destroyed by fire which started last night at 12 o'clock from an explosion of coal gas in a saloon. A portion of the residence section also burned. The total loss is estimated at upward of \$300,000, with insurance light in most cases. Every business building in the village except William Patterson's general store was destroyed.

North Alabama Presbytery.

FLORENCE, Ala., April 5.—The presbytery of North Alabama will meet in the First Presbyterian church of this city next Tuesday evening and remain in session two days. The opening sermon will be preached by Rev. Mr. Greer of Birmingham.

Hispano-American Congress.

MADRID, April 5.—As a sequel to the demonstrations which attended the visit of the Argentine cruiser, Presidente Surrient, to Spain recently a cabinet council has voted a credit to hold a Hispano-American congress.

WIDE FENCING.

For the next 30 days A. J. Watkins will order ornamental wire fencing at such low prices it will surprise everybody. You can have any kind, from 2 feet to 4 feet high; or you can get the best and cheapest iron fencing of all kinds. When you desire fencing of any kind done leave your order at Wm. Johnson & Son's for me and you will save money and get first-class guaranteed work. A. J. WATKINS, 13mlm.

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PLUMER IS AGAIN
DEFEATED BY BOERS

His Cavalry Makes Two Attacks on the Enemy.

BRITISH HARD PRESSED

Left Their Dead on Field—Relief Column Reported Approaching Mafeking From the South—Boer Force Threatens Bloemfontein.

LONDON, April 5.—A special dispatch from Lorenzo Marquez says sharp fighting occurred April 2 in the neighborhood of Mafeking. The garrison made a sortie while General Plumer's cavalry attacked the Boers at Ramathlabama. Both attacks were repulsed.

Detached bodies of Boer horse, numbering 500 to 1,000 each, have appeared at several places to the southward and eastward of Bloemfontein, threatening the railroad, but communication by wire and rail is not in the least affected. One of these forces is near East Springfontein, on the Bloemfontein railroad, and General Gatacre's forces are reported to be about to engage it. Lord Roberts seemingly declines to send columns chasing the Boer bands. He is reserving his cavalry and transport animals for the forward movement.

Explanations having direct origin in the war office as to why Lord Roberts is inactive are that there has been a lack of horses for remounts, but new horses are arriving by train loads hourly. The pressure on the railroad is so great that private parcels and the officers' newspapers have not been forwarded from Cape Town for three weeks.

The situation in the Free State remains far from clear and is unsatisfactory to British observers. The sickness among the Boer prisoners at Simonstown continues to increase. Five men died April 3. The prisoners who were on board the transport Mongolian have been transferred to the shore camp. Unless the sickness abates it is not likely that more prisoners will be sent to St. Helena. A dispatch from Cape Town dated Wednesday announces the departure for the front of the second contingent of Canadian mounted infantry.

Advices from Mafeking say that Mshere, a native chief southward, has broken out against the Boers. There was heavy firing in the direction of his chief kraal March 22.

Twenty of Colonel Plumer's men were found dead on the field and six others were made prisoners. The federal losses were small.

Rumors reach here that a relief column is approaching Mafeking from the south.

German Consul Insulted.

BERLIN, April 5.—The Schleissig-Zeitung reports that Herr Malcolmiss, German consul at East London, Cape Colony, has been grossly insulted by a mob, who burned him in effigy. The Berliner Tagblatt, which reproduces this announcement, says: "If this news should prove to be true, it will be interesting to watch the German foreign office take action."

WHEN TRAVELING

Whether on pleasure bent or business, take on every trip a bottle of Syrup of Figs, as it acts most pleasantly and effectually on the kidneys, liver, and bowels, preventing fevers, headaches and other forms of sickness. For sale in 50 cent bottles by all leading druggists. Manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co. only.

SENATE BILL IS ACOEPTED.

House Republicans Will Not Oppose Puerto Rican Measure.

WASHINGTON, April 5.—The Republican managers of the house have substantially agreed upon a program relative to the Puerto Rican tariff bill. Their plan is to concur in the senate amendments and thus avoid all delays and problems involved in an attempt to amend the senate provisions.

The managers have agreed that the plan to substitute the house bill providing a civil government for Puerto Rico for the senate provisions would be bad policy, as there was really little difference between the two.

Big Contract Awarded.

ATHENS, Ga., April 5.—The Thomas Bailey foundry of this city has closed a contract with the Duplex Frictionless Engine company to build a large number of engines. The carrying out of the contract will require a large increase in the plant of the foundry and will necessitate the employment of a large number of additional mechanics.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

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